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FM AMEMBASSY REYKJAVIK

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 3634

WHITE HOUSE IMMEDIATE

C O N F I D E N T I A L REYKJAVIK 0564

C O R R E C T E D C O P Y (MRN 564 VICE 563)

WHITE HOUSE FOR WILLIAM HENKEL AND DENIS CLIFT

STATE FOR A/ OPR JOHN THOMAS

FROM DEWEY CLOWER

E. O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP (NIXON, RICHARD) IC FR)

SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL VISIT

1. AMBASSADOR IRVING AND ADVANCE PARTY RECOMMEND AGAINST SENDING LST TO REYKJAVIK AS ORIGINALLY SUGGESTED FOR POSSIBLE USE ACCOMMODATING PRESS, AND SUGGEST THAT NAVY BE INFORMED THAT REQUIREMENT NO LONGER EXISTS (WE UNDERSTAND THAT AN LST NOW PREPARING GET UNDERWAY FROM NORFOLK NOON MAY 22 EDT).

2. POLITICAL SENTITIVIEIES RE US MILITARY PRESENCE GENERALLY DICTATE AGAINST HAVING US NAVAL VESSEL IN REYKJAVIK HARBOR ESPECIALLY IN VIEW OF FISHERIES DISPUTE ESCALATION THESE PAST COUPLE DAYS. ALSO ADVANCE TEAM OPTIMISTIC THAT ROOM REQUIREMENTS CAN BE MET WITHOUT USE OF LST.
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